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## DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

Docket A-1588

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled IMPROVED INERTIAL BARRIER MODULE the specification of which

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☐ is attached hereto  
☒ was filed on 01/10/00  
 as US Application Serial Number or PCT International Application Number 09/480 823  
 and was amended on \_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed

Prior Foreign Application(s)

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 385(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application

                      
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09/480,823

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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I, DAVID C. GERTZ of the City of San Clemente, State of California, have invented certain new and useful improvements in

**IMPROVED INERTIAL BARRIER MODULE**

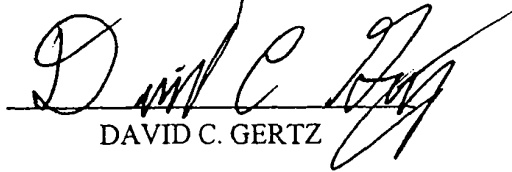
for which the said DAVID C. GERTZ executed application papers for a patent application having been filed on January 10, 2000, and assigned United States Serial Number 09/480,823; and

WHEREAS, TRAFFIX DEVICES, INC., a Corporation of the State of California, hereinafter called Assignee, having its place of business at 220 Calle Pintoresco, San Clemente, California 92672, is desirous of acquiring my entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent therefor granted in the United States of America, and in any and all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that, for and in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) to me in hand paid by Assignee, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I, DAVID C. GERTZ by these presents sell, assign and transfer unto Assignee, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and interest for the territory of the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for Letters Patent in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise), in and to the said invention as described in said application, and in and to all Letters Patent granted therefor, and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all Letters Patent on said inventions or resulting therefrom to said Assignee, as assignee of my entire right, title and interest, and I covenant that I have full right so to do and agree that I will communicate to said Assignee, or its

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Executed this 31 day of August, 2000.

  
DAVID C. GERTZ

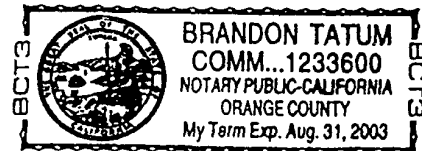
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On Aug 31, 2000, before me Brandon Tatum,  
personally appeared DAVID C. GERTZ personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s) or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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